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ELECTION WITHOUT TRAVERSE UNDER 35 U.S.C. §121

Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2008, and in particular, to the restriction requirement therein. Applicant herein elects the species of Group I (claims 1-11) and withdraws the claims of the non-elected species of Group II (claims 12-20) from further prosecution.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.